MILWAUKEE RADIO AMATEUR'S CLUB
2 November 1967
MSOE Building
1020 North Broadway
Milwaukee

The meeting was called to order at 8:08 PM by president Travis Baird.

The minutes of the October meeting were read and approved.

The treasurer reported a current balance of $702.24 and that, to date, 43 of the 160 members are paid-up.

W9GPI announced that the sum of $170.00 will be paid to the Club as their share of the profit from the Central Division Convention.

A visitor, Ross Hansch - W9RBI, from Madison, presented a training program now under way at the Four Lakes Club. These training sessions are held one hour before each bi-monthly meeting and include Morse code and theory required to pass the Advanced and Extra Classes of liscense. The sample list of questions printed in the November QST have been divided into twelve topic groups, each to be covered at one of the sessions. These topics include: Power Supplies, SSB, Receivers, Transmitters, Transistors and Vacuum Tubes, Oscillators, RF Amplifiers, AF Amplifiers, FM and AM, and Math. He also relayed regards from "Ink" Bowen with whom he has frequent contact.

W9GPI announced that the current Hamachatter is now at the printer and will include a scedual of the forthcoming band priviledges. This will be on a tear-out sheet suitable for posting near each operating position. Copies will be available to those interested parties who are not on the mailing list. He also advised that former president K9ZPP was now in Pittsburg working for Westinghouse and that K9JYX is now in Baraboo with the Circus World Museum. Greeting from both were relayed.

W9NLY gave a report of the AREC participation on October 31st as Expressway Overpass Watchers for the Milwaukee County Sherriff Department between the hours of 7:15 and 10:45 PM. Thirteen mobile Units were in various areas and 26 operators particip-ated. The net control unit was set up in the Safety Building, in the Sherriff's Department. Solid communications was had with all mobiles.

An interesting program describing ways to convert ordinary AM-FM radios to cover VHF bands was presented by Frank Sebuth and Fred Eltzsch.

Visitors were introduced. A beginner, Paul Weeks who resides near 37th and Scott requested help in learning and practicing Morse Code.

W9GPI asked for a show of hands of those interested in starting a course similar to that described by W9RBI. Enough interest was shown to make this a matter for study by the Board of Directors.

The meeting was adjourned at 10: PM.

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Secretary